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## ROBINS FEEL LACK OF GOOD PITCHING

With Effective Mound Work Brooklyn Could Have Beaten Alexander Yesterday.

PHILLIES TO TAKE LEAD IF VICTORS AGAIN TODAY

Thomas Due to Tweak Third Game Against MacKenzie—Braves Fall to End Giants' Streak.

BY J. ED GRILLO.

There was nothing impressive about the victory the Phillies scored over the Robins yesterday. Both teams displayed nervousness in their fielding, and the very fact that Alexander was hit for four runs would indicate that he was not at his best.

Had the Brooklyn team had any kind of effective pitching it probably would have beaten Alexander.

It is understood that Pat Moran will send Eppa Rixey to the mound against the Dodgers today, and that Pfeffer, one of the best right-handers in the league, will be pitched against him. Rixey has not shown as good form of late as he did earlier in the season, and Pfeffer, too, lost five or six straight games before he won one recently, which makes the game one of uncertainty. Thus it would appear that either, or both, of the pitchers may be hit hard.

McGraw's Giants are continuing their remarkable winning streak, having won their twenty-fourth consecutive game. But one game is scheduled with the Braves today and two will be played tomorrow. It would not occasion such great surprise if the Giants were to make a clean sweep of the series, and then finish the season by taking all four games from Brooklyn and putting the present leaders out of the running.

There is not another instance on record when a team has won so many straight games and the chances are that the McGraw aggregation will hang up a mark which never will be equaled in the annals of baseball. Had McGraw gotten his present team together about two weeks earlier he would have won the National League pennant in a common canter.

Claude Thomas is to pitch the third game of the series against the MacKensies today, and if the youngster in form he is very likely to score another victory. Marwin Goodwin and Doc Ayers are slated to work in the double-header tomorrow.

The defeat of the Red Sox at the hands of New York yesterday was not a serious setback for the Carrigan team for the chances are the Yankees will not be able to win either of the two remaining games.

## RICE SHOWS SWAT FORM

Impresses Philadelphia Fans With Hitting Ability—Double-Header Tomorrow.

Special Dispatch to The Star.

PHILADELPHIA, September 23.—Sam Rice showed yesterday why Griffith has good reason to believe the converted pitcher will earn a permanent place in the outfield next year. He singled off Nabors the first two times up, the first hit to right, in the second inning, and his second sailing out past Witt in the fourth. He was called out on strikes in the sixth, but started the waiting system on Bressler in the ninth by walking on four straight balls. He used good judgment every time up, despite striking out, and will be a hard man to keep on the bench next year.

Ray Morgan does not play a half bad first base. He took some nasty tosses at first base with the ease of a Hal Chase and kept his foot to the bag on every throw. His only error was a wild throw in trying to cut down King at second when McElwaine laid down a sacrifice bunt toward first in the eighth.

The Griffithers were deeply interested in the result in Brooklyn. They had the score flashed down to them from the press box before it was posted on the scoreboard. Most of the Griffithers seem to be pulling for the Phils to win the National rag, but predict a Red Sox triumph again when the big fall classic is held.

The clubs will go into the double bill tomorrow. Mack decided to take a chance on the weather of postponing one of the games to the other day, and get in the bargain bill for the half holiday. They need the money at Shibe Park, for today a scant 800 fittered through the turnstiles, and they were not all live ones at that.

Wally Schang caught his first game since early in the spring. Mack tried to make the erratic star an outfielder, but has now given up the task as a bad job, and from now on Wally will do receiving for him. With Strunk, Ping Bodie and Thrasher in the outer works, Wally has no chance to horn in as a regular for next year, so Mack intends to keep him behind the rubber.

Joe Bush is hobnobbing around with a badly infected foot, and will hardly pitch any more ball this fall. He slightly gashed himself with his spikes a few days ago, and the result was a mild case of blood poisoning developed.

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Uncle Wilbert's Robins are holding on the first place in the National League. The Robins' recent triumph over the Dodgers reduced their lead to less than half a game, and the Phils are trailing now by exactly .00123. Brooklyn must get an even break in the two remaining tilts with the Robins to be in first place when the final series of four games starts with the Giants.

The McGraws raised themselves in the percentage table to within one game of the Braves. The Phils have eight remaining games, two with the Dodgers and six with Boston, while Stallings' club has three more with the Giants and six with the champions.

The standing of the four leaders follows:

Brooklyn	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	20	23	.466
Phils	20	23	.466
Boston	24	20	.543
New York	24	23	.511

Yesterday, the first eight innings were played in one hour and twenty minutes, when Bressler went to the mound for the ninth he actually wasted twenty-four minutes before the third National was retired. It then required only Gallia four minutes to set down the Macs for the end of the game.

Healey, who joined the Macs today, after a summer spent with Newark, in the International League, is the younger Mack picked up last year from the University of Pittsburgh. He is a greatly improved player, and succeeded in getting two of the five off Gallia. He almost lost a leg in the seventh inning when Ray Morgan crossed him. With Shanks on first and no one out, Healey figured Morgan would lay down a sacrifice, and on the first pitch to the catcher he speared the expected bunt. Morgan, however, took a healthy lunge at the ball and shot it through Healey's legs with the speed of a comet. The ex-collegian just managed to yank his leg out of the way, much to the delight of Nick Altrock, who was coaching at third base. After that Nick did some fancy ducking and imitating of Healey until the inning closed.

## GRIFFS WIDE AWAKE

Special Dispatch to The Star.

PHILADELPHIA, September 23.—There was not a break in the Athletics' defense yesterday which the Griffiths did not take advantage of. It was only by being wide awake that they were able to score their two runs on Jack Nabors, which compelled Mack to yank Joe in the eighth to let a man hit for him, and which brought into action Rube Bressler, who could not stand the patient waiting the Griffiths did in the ninth. Griff cautioned every batter who went up to the plate to face Bressler to play out the string, and as they all obeyed instructions to the letter, Rube, who has only joined the Macs after a summer in the Eastern League, passed along four men and allowed Shanks to single, giving the Nationals their two superfluous runs.

The Griffiths undoubtedly would have had a hard time beating Nabors had they not been on their toes. The first tally came over in the sixth with two down when Grover fumbled Menosky's roller with Leonard on first. Only fast running by the former Cleveland boy prevented him from being caught at second even after Grover fumbled the ball for the young Athletic recruit recovered quickly, but was a second behind Leonard, who got to the plate with a cushion in the nick of time. He came home when Smith singled to left. In the very next inning, Shanks bounced one to Witt, who fumbled it just long enough to let Shanks outrun the toss to first. This set the stage for the second run, for Morgan's single through Healey and sacrifice by Henry and Gallia brought over Howard.

Had it not been for these two fielding bluffs and the Nationals' wide-awake base running, Nabors probably would have beaten Gallia, despite the latter's excellent pitching. He allowed the Athletics only five hits, but marred his work by wild-pitching in Henry's at-bat. The tallers' only tally of the game in the third. The score:

WASHINGTON	AB	R	H	E	RS	BB	SO	A	E
Leonard	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Postor	2	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Menosky	5	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0
Smith	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rice	4	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0
Shank	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Morgan	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
Henry	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gallia	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	1	0	0	0	2	12	1	0

PHILADELPHIA

PHILADELPHIA	AB	R	H	E	RS	BB	SO	A	E
Witt	4	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Grover	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
Thrasher	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
Strunk	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schang	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McElwaine	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Healey	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
King	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
Nabors	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bressler	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
McElwaine	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seibold	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	30	1	0	0	0	2	12	1	2

\*Batted for Nabors in eighth.

Hit by McElwaine in eighth.

Washington..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 2 0 2

Philadelphia..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1

Two base errors—Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 2.

Left on bases—Washington, 5; Philadelphia, 6.

First base on errors—Washington, 2; Philadelphia, 2.

Hits and no runs in nine innings: off Nabors, 5; off Bressler, 2; off Healey, 1; off King, 1; off Gallia, 1; off Henry, 1; off Morgan, 1; off Smith, 1; off Leonard, 1; off Postor, 1; off Menosky, 1; off Strunk, 1; off Schang, 1; off McElwaine, 1; off Healey, 1; off King, 1; off Nabors, 1; off Bressler, 1; off McElwaine, 1; off Seibold, 1.

Time of game—1 hour and 45 minutes.

FIRST FOOT BALL FATALITY.

Skull Fractured When Tackled, Boy Dies at Waycross, Ga.

WAYCROSS, Ga., September 23.—Palmer Bosworth, fourteen years old, son of Mrs. W. J. Ewe of Tampa, Fla., died here today of injuries received yesterday during a foot ball game. His skull was fractured when, according to spectators, he was tackled by two opposing players. The boy, with his mother, was visiting relatives here.

This is the first death from injuries resulting from foot ball reported in this section this year.

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STANDINGS, SCHEDULES  
AND RESULTS IN BIG  
BASE BALL LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	Winn. Loss.
Boston	20	11	.646	593-587
Chicago	18	14	.563	576-570
Detroit	15	17	.469	566-589
St. Louis	14	18	.438	558-579
New York	13	19	.406	551-571
Washington	12	20	.370	548-576
Cleveland	11	21	.344	538-583
Athletics	10	22	.310	530-593

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	W.	L.	Pct.	Winn. Loss.
Brooklyn	20	11	.646	604-594
Phila.	19	12	.610	603-593
Boston	18	13	.579	586-579
New York	14	17	.447	571-583
Pittsburgh	13	18	.419	562-582
Chicago	12	19	.388	553-585
St. Louis	11	20	.353	540-595
Cincinnati	10	21	.323	534-577

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	Winn.	Loss.
Washington, 4; Philadelphia, 1.		
New York, 4; Boston, 2.		
(Ten innings.)		
Chicago-Cleveland—Rain.		

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Winn.	Loss.
New York, 2; Boston, 0.		
New York, 6; Boston, 0.		
Philadelphia, 5; Brooklyn, 4.		

SCHEDULES.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	TODAY.	TOMORROW.
Washington at Phila.	Washington at Phila.	
New York at Boston.	New York at Boston.	
Chicago at Cleveland.	Chicago at Cleveland.	
Detroit at St. Louis.	Detroit at St. Louis.	

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	TODAY.	TOMORROW.
Phila. at Brooklyn.	Phila. at Brooklyn.	
Boston at New York.	Boston at New York.	
Cincinnati at Pittsb'gh.	St. Louis at Chicago.	
	Cincinnati at Pittsb'gh.	

MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.	Winn.	Loss.
Kansas City, 4; St. Paul, 2.		
Other games, rain.		

BOSTON WOMEN TRIUMPH.

Misses Cunningham and Sears Beach Final of Longwood Tennis.

BOSTON, September 23.—Boston players won tennis honors in the semi-final round of the women's singles at the annual tournament of the Longwood Cricket club yesterday. Miss Margaret Wallach of Newport was defeated by Miss Alice Cunningham of Boston, 6-1, 4-3, and Miss Gwendolyn Brandon of New York lost to

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Manager Fohl of the Cleveland Indians has sent Pitcher Stanley Coveleski to his home in Pennsylvania, and it is not expected that he will be back to the team, and figuring on next year, in harness this season. Coveleski and a spell of sickness have put Coveleski's younger son, a